IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF FLORIDA TAMPA DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Case No. 8:03-CR-77-T-30TBM

SAMI AMIN AL-ARIAN, et al.,

V.

Defendants.

MOTION TO ALLOW CONTACT VISIT FOR DR. AL-ARIAN AND HIS FAMILY

COMES NOW, the Accused, SAMI AMIN AL-ARIAN, by and through his undersigned counsel, and moves this Honorable Court for the entry of an Order allowing DR. AL-ARIAN to visit with his family, including his wife, Nahla Al-Arian, their five children, and his mother-in-law, Mrs. Inam Hammouda, in a contact setting at Coleman Federal Prison. As grounds for the foregoing, counsel submits the following:

- 1. Dr. Al-Arian is prohibited from any contact visits with his family members or any one else, except pursuant to Court Order.
- 2. Dr. Al-Arian has been incarcerated for the last twenty-two (22) months, nineteen (19) of them in the Special Housing Unit at USP Coleman in Coleman, Florida, which will not allow any contact visits for the Accused, except with his attorneys of record.
- 3. Dr. Al-Arian had previously moved this Court for the entry of an Order allowing a contact visit before Thanksgiving, which was denied without

prejudice because Dr. Al-Arian was kept at Orient Road Jail, which does not allow for contact visits with family members.

- 4. Dr. Al-Arian's five children, two of whom live out of state, and his mother-in-law are once again gathering in Florida for the upcoming holidays in an effort to visit with the Accused.
- 5. The Accused respectfully requests Thursday, December, 23rd, 2004, from 11:00a.m. to 3:00 p.m. as the time for Dr. Al-Arian to have a contact visit with his family.

WHEREFORE, the Accused moves this Honorable Court for the entry of an Order allowing him a contact visit with his family on Thursday, December 23rd, 2004.

Dated: 13 December, 2004 Respectfully submitted.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 13th day of December, 2004, a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been furnished, by CM/ECF, to Walter Furr, Assistant United States Attorney; Terry Zitek, Assistant United States Attorney; Kevin Beck, Assistant Federal Public Defender, M. Allison Guagliardo, Assistant Federal Public Defender, counsel for Hatim Fariz; Bruce Howie, Counsel for Ghassan Ballut, and to Stephen N. Bernstein, P.O. Box 1642, Gainesville, Florida 32602, counsel for Sameeh Hammoudeh.

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